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	Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:										
	1. X This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.										
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	3. X This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.										
	4. The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (Article 31). 5. X A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))										
•	a.										
	b. X has been communicated by the International Bureau.										
	c. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).										
	6. An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).										
	a. is attached hereto. b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).										
	7. Amendments to the claims of the International Aplication under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))										
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	c. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.										
	d. have not been made and will not be made.										
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	9. An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).										
	10. An English lanugage translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).										
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	12. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.										
	13.X A FIRST preliminary amendment.										
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	15. A substitute specification.										
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	17. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821 - 1.825.										
	18. A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).										
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